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A fine portrait of Senator Sams was published in Sunday's Times-Union.

The ice man is displacing the wood man in popularity—but only the rich can enjoy ice at \$1 per hundred.

Gainesville's public school will continue in session six weeks longer, the teachers being paid by private subscription.

The St. Augustine Record estimates the value of the Hastings potato crop at \$290,000. The crop has now begun to go forward.

Volusia county furnishes three possible candidates for Congress, as follows: Alexander of DeLand, Sams of New Smyrna, and Dougherty of Port Orange.

It is said that J. Pierpont Morgan is an optimist. Does this account for his wealth—or does his wealth account for his optimism? He can probably afford it anyhow.

In the death of Frank V. Baker, editor of the Sanford Chronicle, Sanford loses a loyal, true citizen, and the state of Florida a hustling newspaper man. Peace to his ashes.

Incandescent lights in Ocala cost 30 cents per month each, with a discount of 10 per cent from the bill if paid by the 10th of the month. This is about 70 per cent less than DeLandites pay.

An exchange says: "Tallahassee is as usual a bee of roses. The two houses of the Legislature had the appearance of a bride chamber". Bride is good. Will the exchange please tell who held the "reigns."

All previous immigration records were broken in New York on Wednesday last, when seven steamships arrived in port with 8,378 aliens, including Scandinavians, Holland Dutch, Italians and Irish.

The attorneys for the murderer, James Tillman, who killed Editor Gonzales of the Columbia (S. C.) State, have secured a continuance of the case, which is now set for June. Tillman will doubtless get off with a short term in prison, if convicted at all.

The Jacksonville Metropolis is fighting for cheaper electric lights, claiming that they can be produced profitably at 30 cents each per month. Wonder what DeLand people would do if they could get their incandescent lights at 30 cents each per month! Our arc lights are furnished the city at a very low rate.

The important municipal elections of last week resulted in victories to neither political party, to any great extent; but they point to the fact that the American people are thoroughly awakened to the importance of municipal ownership of public utilities. In Chicago, Cincinnati, Cleveland, Toledo and other cities the municipal ownership candidates were elected, and even in Philadelphia the successful candidate is said to favor "reform."

The Italian is said to be taking the place of the Irishman as saloon-keepers in the large cities. The Atlanta Constitution asks if this will "out any ice" in politics. The saloon men have been great factors in politics in the trade centers, and most of the Irishmen are Democrats. The Italians are Republicans, as a rule, but not so clanish as the Irish. For the two years, 1901-02, nearly 850,000 Italians arrived as immigrants to the United States. This vote, if polled together, would be most influential, if not potent.

ALEXANDER IS CONFIDENT.

Says He Will Win "Hands Down" in Congressional Race.

From Gainesville Sun, April 10. Hon. James E. Alexander, of Volusia county, was in the city a few hours yesterday. He was en route from Tallahassee to his home at DeLand, and merely stopped over to pay a short visit to his mother and sisters.

Mr. Alexander made the Sun an agreeable call while here. He stated, in connection with his trip to the state capitol, that he went in the interest of a number of his friends who were candidates for various legislative positions, and was happy over the fact that they were successful without a single exception.

As is well known, Mr. Alexander will be a candidate for Congressman from the Second Congressional District, and in this connection he said:

QUITE CONFIDENT.

"I am confident of winning, hands down, for Congress. If no new material develops to oppose me, I expect to carry every county in my district over Mr. Barrs. I am confident of winning, regardless of any other opposition, but my race with Barrs will prove a regular cinch.

"I do not expect to ride into Congress by the abuse of any one, therefore my platform and the platform of Mr. Barrs will differ in this respect.

"I heartily concur with the Governor in the matter of the disposition of the Indian War Claim fund, for I believe it should go to pay the State debt. Governor Jennings is wise on that point, and he will find that the majority of the people are with him."

PORT ORANGE.

Special Correspondence.

Port Orange, April 13.—One of our gentlemen tourists returned to his Northern home with his heart sorely wounded. He expects to return early next fall to have the wound healed.

Mr. and Mrs. Appenzeller and son have gone in a cruise down the Indian River in the boat Mr. Appenzeller built. The Temple family accompanied them.

The rumor here is that they have arrested the negro who assaulted the young lady on the road between here and Daytona.

Easter Sunday was a bright, beautiful day. The Episcopal church was handsomely decorated with flowers, and the house was well filled with an appreciative congregation who listened to Dr. Arnold's excellent sermon. The Holy Communion was celebrated after the sermon. The music by the choir was truly harmonious.

Dr. DuBois has been away attending the State Medical Association. Mrs. DuBois spent the time of his absence visiting Mrs. Lefebvre across the Halifax River.

Mr. Needham, who has been coming down here several winters, renting a house for his family, has bought a lot on the river shore and is to erect a home of his own before he returns North for the summer. His family will precede him North while he is so engaged.

BEAUTY AND STRENGTH.

Are desirable. You are strong and vigorous, when your blood is pure. Many—nay, most—women, fail to properly digest their food, and so become pale, sallow, thin and weak, while the brightness, freshness and beauty of the skin and complexion, depart. Remedy this unpleasant evil, by eating nourishing food, and taking a small dose of Herbine after each meal, to digest what you have eaten. 50c. at all druggists.

A DELAND MAN HONORED.

At the meeting of the State Medical Association in St. Augustine last Friday, officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: Dr. Witt Webb, St. Augustine, president; John MacDiarmid, DeLand, first vice-president; J. M. Fogarty, second vice-president; J. D. Fernandez, secretary-treasurer. The next annual meeting of the association will be held at Live Oak.

SAVE THE LOVED ONES!

Mrs. Mary A. Vliet, Newcastle, Col., writes: "I believe Ballard's Horehound Syrup is superior to any other cough medicine, and will do all that is claimed for it, and it is so pleasant to take. My little girl wants to take it when she has no need for it." Ballard's Horehound Syrup is the great cure for all pulmonary ailments. 25c. 50c. and \$1.00 at all druggists.

American hickory is the best wood in the world for fuel. If its value is reckoned at 100, oak is worth 84, beech 65 and white pine only 30.

SAVED TWO FROM DEATH.

"Our little daughter, had an almost fatal attack of whooping cough and bronchitis," writes Mrs. W. K. Haviland, of Armonk, N. Y., "but when all other remedies failed, we saved her life with Dr. King's New Discovery. Our niece, who had Consumption in an advanced stage, also used this wonderful medicine and today she is perfectly well." Desperate throat and lung diseases yield to Dr. King's New Discovery as to no other medicine on earth. Infalible for Coughs and Colds. 50c. and \$1.00 bottles guaranteed by W. A. Allen and Geo. W. Fisher. Trial bottles free.

Monthly Session City Council.

COUNCILMEN Bushnell, Wood, Powe, Woodall and Wilson were present at the regular monthly meeting of the City Council held Monday night.

FOURTH OF JULY CELEBRATION. A communication was received from the local branch of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, conveying the intelligence that the union was preparing for an elaborate celebration on the Fourth of July and asking the co-operation of the council. The ladies promised to be present in person at the next session of the council and outline their plans. No action was asked for, and none was taken.

WORK AT SHELL PIT. The matter of removing sand and clay from the shell pit, to uncover shell, was discussed and referred to the Street Committee, with power to act.

SEWERS AND CATCH BASINS. A communication from C. O'Neill and bid for constructing sewers and catch basins were referred to the Street Committee, with instructions to secure other bids and report to council.

AFTER TELEPHONE FRANCHISE. Mr. Mitchell of the Sanford Telephone Company appeared before the council and urged that his company be granted a franchise for local exchange and long distance lines.

Councilman Wood gave notice of an ordinance granting a franchise to the Sanford company, and Councilman Bushnell gave notice of an ordinance granting a similar franchise to the Southern Bell Telephone Company.

The matter of flooring the fire truck house was referred to the Building Committee with power to act.

ENGINEER'S REPORT. The engineer reported that water had been turned on at two points; turned off at none. From March 27 to 31, every service and all metres had been inspected. Average daily consumption of water, 75,000 gallons.

CLERK'S REPORT. The clerk reported the collection of \$135.34 in water rents during the month.

MARSHAL'S REPORT. The marshal reported the collection of \$108.00 in sanitary fees, fines and dog tax.

TREASURER'S REPORT. The treasurer reported the following balances on hand:

Fire and water. \$ 195 62
Bond interest. 919 17
General revenue. 1109 10

Total cash on hand. \$2223 89
WARRANTS DRAWN.
Warrants were drawn in payment of bills as follows:

Pay-roll for March. \$ 195 00
News Publishing Company. 4 75
Electric Light Company. 104 17
Volusia County Bank. 272 29
Wesley McCormick. 2 75
Grant Bly. 1 87
William Arnold. 50
W. Jamison. 3 70
W. C. Cannons. 7 50
Con O'Neill. 30 00
G. A. Dreka & Co. 22 45
Sam Gordon. 2 00
Scott Hodgkin. 2 00
M. A. Driggers. 18 50
J. A. Erickson. 60
Watts & Miller. 6 50
C. F. Gilbert. 2 00
C. A. Miller. 65 00
C. A. Wood. 8 50
R. D. McDonald. 23 60
Thompson Metre Company. 106 66
Council adjourned at 10:30.

AT SCIENCE HALL.

Steward Brown gives Object Lesson in Meat Cutting.

A valuable object lesson in household economics was that given by Mr. S. I. Brown at the rooms of the Domestic Science Department in the School of Technology Thursday afternoon, this being the second exposition along that line, and to judge from the increased attendance the first of the series was well accepted, while this one was thoroughly appreciated by those present.

Mr. Brown's experience as steward and in the meat business came into good play, so that the thorough explanations given and then proven in the cutting up of half a beef, showing where to select best for any desired portion for a particular purpose, where the most palatable cuts are to be found, and the real money value of the different parts, was indeed a revelation to most of those assembled.

While the entire subject was of unusual interest, that portion of it showing the careful housekeeper how to economize in meat buying without stinting, was the most interesting.

This subject will be followed by similar object lessons, all bearing along the same line of different objects, and an unusual interest being shown, the Wednesday afternoon talks will prove very popular, and those of our people who have missed the previous meetings will find it time well spent to attend these meetings in the future. They are for the public at large as well as for students.

After the meeting of last Thursday some light refreshments were served—being products of the scientific kitchen, and it goes without saying that these were also enjoyed.

News Notes From University

The Stetson Junior again proved themselves worthy of the name they bear by defeating the Daytona High School team on Saturday last by a score of 6 to 4. It was a good game all the time and the Stetson boys showed great improvement in the last two weeks. Daytona was clearly outclassed and had no chance of winning except in the last of the ninth when they ran in three runs. Campbell, however, by a good throw to Henley on second cut off an attempt to steal and retired the side before further damage was done. Curry pitched a good game for Stetson after giving several bases on balls in the first two innings. He pulled out of several bad holes and proved too speedy for the Daytona players. Inglis played a good game on third, handling grounders in nice shape and stopping several overthrows to him. Henley is a good man on second and is always found just where needed most.

The score was:

Daytona—0 0 0 0 1 0 0 3—4 3 0
Stetson—1 0 0 0 2 2 0 1 0—6 8 1

We wish to congratulate the Daytona team on having chosen Mr. Herbert Dunklee as manager. He is a very clever boy and was kindness itself to us while in that city. We do not know anything about their former manager, not having seen anything of him except for a few moments at the game. Perhaps his position was only honorary and he was not expected to take any interest in a visiting team.

Mr. Jay Monroe unintentionally capsized a sailboat on Blue Lake Tuesday afternoon and in consequence got a good ducking.

Mr. Augustus Schmidt, a former student of Stetson, is recovering from a severe illness at his home in Daytona.

Miss Maysie Emory returned on Wednesday from a short visit to Jacksonville.

An exciting game of indoor baseball was played on the Athletic Field Thursday afternoon between the Elephants and the Buzzards. No one injured.

The young ladies of Chaudoin Hall have suddenly developed a dislike for candy. Mr. Edwin Benedict has had several boxes returned with thanks.

Miss Nellie Fletcher spent Sunday with her parents in Jacksonville.

Mrs. Spangler and daughters have moved into Chaudoin Hall.

Mr. Edwin Benedict entertained several of his friends at a spread Saturday evening.

Mr. Chas. Campbell has been elected captain of the Stetson Junior baseball team.

The Daytona High School team will play two games of baseball in DeLand this week at the University Athletic Field; one on Friday afternoon with the Stetson Juniors, and the other Saturday morning with the DeLand Public School team. The games will be called at 3:00 p. m. and 9:30 a. m., and an admission of 25c will be charged for each game. Both teams have defeated the Daytona team in their own town, and as these are to be the last games it is expected that a strong attempt will be made to get even and a good game is expected on both days. The line-up of the Stetson Juniors will be as follows:

P., Inglis; C., Campbell; 1st b., Ware; 2d b., Henley; 3d b., Curry; ss., Marks; lf., Clow; cf., Tilden; rf., Gautier.

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WM. KOLMAN.

HOW KIRCHOF GOT HIS JOB.

It Had Been Promised To an Indian from the Everglades.

The following "story" is from Sunday's Times-Union. THE NEWS does not vouch for its veracity. The successful candidate landed by Senator Sams was Otto R. Kirchhof of DeLeon Springs, who must hold the Times-Union correspondent, and not THE NEWS, responsible for the story.

The story has just come to light of how the Senate escaped having a Seminole Indian for janitor. Senator Dimick, not with the view of giving some recognition to the Seminoles for their unanimous support among his Everglades constituents, but purely from an educational and philanthropic standpoint, agreed to secure a position for one of their number. A comely fellow, sparsely clothed, reported to Senator Dimick before he left home, and the senator gave the brave careful instructions as to the overland route from Lake Okeechobee to Tallahassee. Meantime Senator Dimick wrote to his friends among the Senators and secured a sufficient number of pledges to secure the election of his copper-colored friend as janitor. Senator Dimick reached here on the Saturday preceding the Monday, the date set for the caucus. He was slightly disturbed at not finding the Indian camped anywhere in the neighborhood of Tallahassee. On Sunday Senator Dimick hired a team and scoured the outlying districts, but no Seminole was in sight.

The next day Senator Dimick told his troubles to Senator Frank Sams. It so happened that Senator Sams had a candidate for janitor of the Senate, and Senator Dimick promised to support Senator Sams' candidate, provided the Seminole brave did not turn up. Senator Sams won, and his candidate was nominated. The following day Senator Dimick's Seminole and a large but empty bottle were located on the borders of the capitol city. How he came into possession of the bottle has not as yet been explained, but it is not suspected that the opposition had anything to do with it. Senators Dimick and Sams are now endeavoring to bring about a compromise, but thus far it hangs fire. The Indian is willing that the successful janitor do the work, but he is holding out for the pay. He is willing to sacrifice the experience.

This Will Interest Others.

Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children, Cure Feverishness, Bad Stomach, Teething Disorders, Break up Colds, move and regulate the Bowels and Destroy Worms. THEY NEVER FAIL. Over 30,000 testimonials. At all druggists, 25c. Sample mailed.

The Ex-Confederate Meeting. All who served in the armies of the late Confederate States are earnestly requested to meet at the court house, in DeLand, on Monday, the 4th day of May, 1903, for the purpose of effecting an organization of the survivors of the "Lost Cause."

John A. Bradely, J. T. Vinsant, U. M. Bennett, W. P. Edwards, D. L. Wickham, T. J. Snyder.

A Water Meter Joke. Water companies often prove that they have no conscience. The following instance shows that they are equally lacking in a sense of humor. A public body, noticing a large increase in their water bill, suggested to the company that perhaps the meter might be out of order. In reply they were informed that the meter had been tested and was found to register quite correctly and that directions would at once be given to replace it with another. Evidently an accurate meter does not meet the views of a water company.—London Chronicle.

Price of Ice In Orlando.

THE NEWS promised to give its readers information about the price of ice in Orlando, as compared to the price in DeLand. The facts are as follows:

Ice is sold in Orlando at 25 cents per hundred pounds in 100 pound deliveries; a little more is charged on a sliding scale, until for 10-pound deliveries the price is \$1 per 300 pounds.

In DeLand the price is 40 to 45 cents in 100-pound deliveries. In smaller amounts, the price is 95 cents for 100 pounds, payable in advance.

The price in DeLand is about three times as high as in Orlando for small purchases, and twice as high for 100-pound purchases.

This is only another instance of John B. Stetson's "philanthropy". An effort is now being made to secure permanent orders for ice in sufficient quantities to warrant the establishing of a competitive ice business in DeLand. As soon as sufficient business is pledged, an ice house will be built, a wagon put on, and the people of DeLand will be furnished ice at one-half cheaper than they now pay for it.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY, Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

Notice of Attachment. In Circuit Court, Seventh Judicial Circuit County of Volusia, State of Florida. James E. Alexander vs. J. A. Scarlett, \$25.00.

THE defendant, J. A. Scarlett, is hereby notified that suit by attachment has been instituted against him on the following described property, viz: SW 1-4 of the sw 1-4 of Sec 32, T 16 S, R 30 E, containing forty acres (40), and the e 1-4 of the nw 1-4 of Sec 5, T 17 S, R 30 E, containing twenty acres (20), all in Volusia county, Florida.

Now unless you shall appear to the action on the first Monday in May, A. D. 1903, judgment by default will be taken against you. Witness my hand and the seal of said Court this 9th day of February, A. D. 1903.

SAM L. JORDAN, Clerk Circuit Court, Volusia County, Fla. Pope & Pope and E. M. Bennett, Attorneys for Complainant.

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